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## NOTES IN SEASON.

FREDERICK WARNE & Co. have two timely publications in their "Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain," by S. H. Jeyes, in the *Public Men of To-Day Series*; and the fifth edition of Marshall Mathers's "John Ruskin." They are also bringing out a tenth impression of Sir Henry Thompson's "Food and Feeding," and a new edition of Professor Hoffmann's "Tricks With Cards."

THE MACMILLAN COMPANY, to meet the increasing demand for Winston Churchill's autograph, will shortly publish a special edition of his "Richard Carvel," limited to one thousand copies, each one of which will contain the author's autograph. It is hoped that this innovation in ordinary publishing methods will result in the satisfaction of the autograph collector, and the

relief of the author. They will publish within a few weeks the long-expected work on "The Distribution of Wealth—a theory of wages, interest and profits," by John Bates Clark, Professor of Political Economy at Columbia University.

CHARLES SCRIBNER'S SONS publish to-day "Interpretations of Poetry and Religion," by George Santayana, author of "The Sense of Beauty," dealing with the function of imagination in the world of thought and emotion; "Anglo-Saxons and Others," by Aline Gorren, treating the question of Anglo-Saxon superiority with a note of warning regarding the weaknesses of the race, which are analyzed with fearless fulness; "The Romantic Triumph," by T. S. Ormond, a new volume in the *Periods of European Literature*; "A Problem in New Testament Criticism," by Dr. M. W. Jacobs, of the Hartford Theological Seminary; "Standard Whist for Beginners," by Fisher Ames; and "A Short History of Russia," by Mary Platt Parmele.

THE H. B. CLAFLIN COMPANY have made arrangements to control the sale of all the publications of DeWolfe, Fiske & Co., of Boston. In the future all orders for these publications, which include the well-known juveniles, the *Favorite Library*, color books, the *Gem Miniature* books, the *Flower and Gem* series, miscellaneous copyright novels, standard works, etc., should be addressed to The H. B. Clafin Company. Early last December the H. B. Clafin Company began negotiations with publishers of leading books looking to the purchase of limited autograph editions. These editions are now in preparation, and the titles will be announced later. In nearly every case the editions to be handled by the Clafin Company will be similar to the present editions on the market, but they will bear the autograph of the author as a distinguishing feature.

DOUBLEDAY & MCCLURE COMPANY will publish next week a new novelette by Anthony Hope, entitled "Captain Dieppe," which will form the first volume of their *Short Novel Series*, for which they have already secured "Kela Bai, an Anglo-Indian Idyl," by Charles Johnston; "An Eventful Night," by Clara Parker; "Bennie Ben Cree," by Arthur W. Colton, and "A Christian but a Roman," by Maurus Jokai. The books by Johnston, Parker, and Colton are these author's first efforts. This series will be sold at the regular trade rates, instead of at net prices, as was at first announced. They will publish shortly "The Bewitched Fiddle, and other stories," by Seumas Mac Manus the gifted Irish author, who is preparing to return to his native Donegal to write for a New York publisher an extended novel of Irish life and character. They have in preparation a volume entitled "A Country Without a Strike," in which Henry Demarest Flood describes a visit to the compulsory arbitration court in New Zealand. Besides its general interest, this work should appeal to legislators, for it contains the results of observations made on the ground of the working of a law which compels the parties to a strike to appeal at once to a court established for the sole purpose of settling the disputes arising between the employer and the employed.

## WEEKLY RECORD OF NEW PUBLICATIONS.\*

The abbreviations are usually self-explanatory. c. after the date indicates that the book is copyrighted; if the copyright date differs from the imprint date, the year of copyright is added. Books of foreign origin of which the edition (annotated, illustrated, etc.) is entered as copyright, are marked c. ed.; translations, c. tr.; n. p., in place of price, indicates that the publisher makes no price, either net or retail, and quotes prices to the trade only upon application.

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Sizes are designated as follows: F. (folio: over 30 centimeters high); Q. (4to: under 30 cm.); O. (8vo: 25 cm.); D. (12mo: 20 cm.); S. (16mo: 17½ cm.); T. (24mo: 15 cm.); Tt. (32mo: 12½ cm.); Fe. 48mo: 10 cm.). Sq., obl., nar., designate square, oblong, narrow books of these heights.

**Adams, C: Francis.** Charles Francis Adams, by his son. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1900. c. 7+426 p. D. (American statesmen, ed. by J: T. Morse.) cl., \$1.25.

*Contents:* Birth and education; Early life; The Massachusetts legislature; The "Boston Whig"; The free-soil party; The ebb of the tide; The ante-bellum congress; The awakening; The proclamation of belligerency; Seward's foreign war panacea; The treaty of Paris; The Trent affair; A bout with the premier; The cotton famine; The crisis of recognition; The Emancipation proclamation; The Alabama and the "Laird rams." The years of fruition; The Geneva arbitration; Closing years.

**Adams, E: F.** The modern farmer in his business relations. San Francisco, N. J. Stone Co., 1899. c. 662 p. il diagram, cl., \$2.

This work, first sold as a subscription book, is now given to the trade. It is "a study of some of the principles underlying the arts of profitable farming and marketing, and of the interests of farmers as effected by modern social and economical conditions and forces."

**American art annual, 1898; ed., by Florence N. Levy.** N. Y., Art Interchange Co., 1899. c. '98. 3-540 p. il. O. cl., \$3.

The first issue of this annual. *Contents:* The first century and a half of American art, by C: H: Hart; Review of the year; Foreign exhibitions; Obituaries; Important sales of 1897-1898; Exhibitions held in 1897-1898; Art in the public schools, by Dr. Ja. P. Haney; The tariff in relation to art matters; Art books of the year; Art magazines; Art galleries, private collections, art societies and art schools classified alphabetically. Directories of painters, sculptors, illustrators, workers in the applied arts; art galleries, art societies, art dealers, etc. List of illustrators.

**American art annual, 1899. [Supplement.]** ed. by Florence N. Levy. N. Y., Art Interchange Co., 1899. c. 12+90 p. pl. O. pap., 25 c.

**Anthony, Alfred Williams.** The method of Jesus; an interpretation of personal religion. Bost., Silver, Burdett & Co., 1899. c. 264 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

"The following attempt to interpret the method of Jesus is biblical. In its advance it seeks to proceed only a step at a time. It offers a helping hand to those who move cautiously and slowly."—Preface.

**Aurand, S: Herbert, M.D.** Botanical materia medica and pharmacology; giving the botany, pharmacology, physiological action, therapeutic range, treatment of poisoning and antidotes. Chic., P. H. Mallen Co., 1899. c. 406 p. 8°, cl., \$2.50.

**\*Baby John, Zoe, and For the fourth time of asking; by the author of "Miss Toosey's mission."** [anon.] New issue. Bost., Little, Brown & Co., 1899. c. 382 p. 16°, cl., \$1.

**Beadle, W: H: Harrison, and Bartlett, A. F.** Natural system of teaching geography. Chic., A. Flanagan, [1899.] c. 132 p. il. 4°, bds., 50 c.

Intended as a supplement to the regular text-book in geography, and not in any sense as a substitute for it.

**\*Bergey, D: Hendricks.** Handbook of practical hygiene. Easton, Pa., The Chemical Pub. Co., 1899. c. 3+164 p. 8°, cl., \$1.50.

**\*Bland, Mrs. Herbert, ["E. Nesbit," pseud.]** Pussy and doggy tales; il. by D. Kempwelch. N. Y., Dutton, 1900. 12°, cl., \$1.25.

**Bradbury, Harriet B.** The light that is in thee: a series of essays on the understanding of the higher spiritual faculties. N. Y., Alliance Pub. Co., 1899. c. 2+86 p. 16°, cl., \$1.

**\*Bramston, G. M.** Bugle Minor of Her Majesty's Royal Marines. N. Y., T: Whittaker, 1900. 176 p., 12°, cl., 90 c.

**\*Bryant, Edwin Eustace.** Treatise on the civil and criminal jurisdiction of justices of the peace, and the powers and duties of constables in executing process in the state of Wisconsin. 6th ed., adapted to the legislation of 1899. Chic., Callaghan & Co., 1899. 11+1049 p. 8°, shp., \$6.50.

**\*Buel, Ja. W., ed.** The great operas; romantic legends upon which the masters of song have founded their famous lyrical compositions; introduced by G. Verdi. 10 sections. De luxe ed. Phil., Société Universelle Lyrique, [1899-1900.] c. 513 p. f°, brocaded satin, \$1000. Superba ed., crushed levant, \$1250. [Edition limited to 50 copies.]

**Buffum, W. Arnold.** Tears of the Heliades; or, amber as a gem; reprinted from the 3d English ed.; rev. by the author. N. Y., Putnam, [1900.] c. 23+110 p. il. D. cl., net, \$1.25.

A history of amber in chapters entitled: The origin of amber; The realm of amber; Amber in commerce; Amber in literature. The introduction embraces the poetical origin ascribed to amber as "the tears of the Heliades."

**\*Bump, C: Weathers.** Down the historic Susquehanna; a summer's jaunt from Otsego to the Chesapeake. Balt., The Sun Printing Office, 1899. c. 4+184 p. 16°, pap., 75 c.

**Burrage, Severance, and Bailey, H: Turner.** School sanitation and decoration: a practical study of health and beauty in their relations to the public schools. Bost., Heath, [1900.] c. '99. 16+191 p. il. D. cl., \$1.50.

*Contents:* Location of schools; Construction and requirements of school buildings; Principles of ventilating, heating, and lighting; Sanitary problems of the schoolhouse; School furniture; The schoolroom; Schoolroom decoration; The old country schoolroom; School children; Influence of school life upon the eye; School authorities and patrons; Beauty in school work. Appendix. A classified list of works of art suitable for schoolroom decoration.

**\*Chadman, C: Erehart.** Personal rights and law of contract and of partnership. Conneaut, O., Home Study Publishing Co.,

\*In this list, the titles generally are verbatim transcriptions (according to the rule of the American Library Association) from books received. Books not received are indicated by a prefixed asterisk, and this office cannot be held responsible for the correctness of their record.



1899. c. 11+196 p. por. 12°, (Home law school ser., v. 1., no. 4.) pap., 50 c.; cl., \$1.
- \***Chadman, C: Erehart.** Personal rights and the domestic relations. Conneaut, O., Home Study Publishing Co., [1899.] c. 11+186 p. 12°, (Home law school ser., v. 1., no. 3.) pap., 50 c.; cl., \$1.
- Chiniquy, Rev. C:** Forty years in the church of Christ. N. Y., Revell, 1900 [1899.] c. '99. 498 p. por. 8°, cl., \$2.50.  
A sequel to the author's "Fifty years in the Church of Rome." Father Chiniquy was born in the Church of Rome in Canada, on the 30th of July, 1809; he lived to celebrate his ninetieth birthday. This work continues his religious experience in the Protestant church, to which he became a convert. As a preacher and lecturer, and as a temperance reformer, he was heard in almost every country of the world.
- Colton, Buel P.** Physiology illustrated by experiment; briefer course. Bost., Heath, 1900. c. '99. 13+386 p. il. D. (Science text-books.) cl., 90 c.
- Connelley, W: Elsey.** James Henry Lane, the "Grim chieftain" of Kansas. Topeka, Kan., Crane & Co., 1899. c. 126 p. D. (Twentieth century classics and school readings, v. 1, no. 2.) pap., 10 c.  
The second issue of a series of which "John Brown of Kansas" was the first issue, intended to provide special reading for the schools of Kansas. The volumes are brought out under the supervision of the superintendent of the schools of the city of Topeka, Kan. The subject of the pamphlet was a noted politician and leader of the Free-state party in Kansas. Chapters are given from his life.
- \***Cooper, A. J.** Elementary practical chemistry for the use of students in science classes and in schools of science. N. Y., Macmillan, 1900. 8+86 p. 12°, cl., net, 50 c.
- Cornford, L. Cope.** Master-beggars. [New ed.] Phil., Lippincott, 1900. c. '97. 2+298 p. D. (Lippincott's select novels.) cl., \$1; pap., 50 c.  
See notice, P. W. "Weekly Record," April 17, 1897, [1316.]
- Dahn, F: Julius Felix.** Sigwalt und Sigrith: eine nordische erzählung (frei erfunden;) ed., with introd. and notes, by F. G. G. Schmidt. Bost., Heath, 1900. c. 9+72 p. por. S. (Heath's modern language ser.) cl., 25 c.
- \***Darlington, J. H., D.D., ed.** Hymnal of the church; with music. Organ ed. N. Y., T: Whittaker, 1900. c. 633 p. obl. 12°, cl., net, \$1.75.
- \***Dawson, A. J.** Story of Ronald Kestrel; [a novel.] N. Y., Appleton, 1899. c. 7+343 p. 12°. (Appleton's town and country lib., no. 277.) cl., \$1; pap., 50 c.
- \***Deane, A. E:** A Sunday in Summer. N. Y., T: Whittaker, 1900. 108 p. 12°, cl., 50 c.
- \***Debenham, Mary H.** Sowing and harvesting. N. Y., T: Whittaker, 1900. 288 p. 12°, cl., \$1.25.
- \***Dewey, Julia M.** Lessons on manners; arranged for grammar schools, high schools, and academies. N. Y., Hinds & Noble, 1899. c. 8+141 p. 16°, cl., 75 c.
- \***Dewey, Julia M.** Lessons on morals; arranged for grammar schools, high schools, and academies. N. Y., Hinds & Noble, 1899. c. 9+311 p. 16°, cl., 75 c.
- \***Dickens, C:** Works, Temple ed. In 40 v. v. 28-30. N. Y., Doubleday & McClure Co., 1900. 3 v., col. il. 16°, limp leath., per v., 80 c.  
Contents: V. 28-30, Bleak House 23 + 404; 7 + 418; 7 + 417 p.
- Dishonesty** of the 1898 bond issue and of our financial system; by Doctor Square, a business man. Buffalo, Puritan Book Co., 1899. c. 126 p. 16°, leath., \$1.
- \***Dooley, J: H:** Carmina sacerdotis. N. Y., W. H. Young & Co., 1899. c. 200 p. por. 12°, cl., \$1.25.
- Dryden, J:** Poems. N. Y., Cassell, 1900. 3-192 p. T. (Cassell's national lib., new ser., v. 7., no. 341.) pap., 10 c.
- \***Dunboyne, Mary Clifford Butler (Lady).** Some great things. N. Y., T: Whittaker, 1900. 186 p. 12°, cl., 90 c.
- Elmore, Ja. B.** Love among the mistletoe [a story] and poems. Alamo, Ind., pub. by the author, James B. Elmore, 1899. c. 6+164 p. il. por. 12°, \$1.
- Fison, Alfred H.** Recent advances in astronomy. Chic., H. S. Stone & Co., 1899. 3+242 p. D. (Victorian era ser.) cl., \$1.25.  
Contents: The life of a star; The measurement of stellar distances; The milky way and the distribution of stars; The recent study of Mars; The analysis of sunlight; The analysis of starlight; The red flames of the sun.
- Foster, Eli Greenwalt.** The civil war by campaigns. Topeka, Kan., Crane & Co., 1899. c. 286 p. il. maps. D. cl., \$1.  
Instead of treating the subject chronologically, the author has written entirely by campaigns. The movements of one army have been fully treated before the discussion of another has commenced. The method of treatment it is hoped will be found both interesting and profitable.
- \***Gardiner, Linda.** Sylvia in flowerland. N. Y., Dutton, 1900. 12°, cl., \$1.50.
- \***Garratt, H. A.** Modern safety bicycle; with il. and working drawings. N. Y., Macmillan, 1900. 9+224 p. 12°, cl., \$1.
- \***Gay, Geraldine M.** A king's thegn. N. Y., T: Whittaker, 1900. 144 p. 12°, cl., 75 c.
- \***Gibbings, Alfred H.** Commercial and business aspects of municipal electricity supply: a practical handbook for the use of electrical engineers to municipal corporations and members of municipal electricity committees. N. Y., Macmillan, 1900. 19+270 p. il. plans, 4°, hf. leath., \$4.
- \***Good, Ja. I:** History of the Reformed church in the United States, 1725-1792. Reading, Pa., Daniel Miller, 1899. c. 8+701 p. il. 12°, cl., \$1.75.
- \***Goodrich, A. J.** Theory of interpretation applied to artistic musical performance. Phil., Theodore Presser, 1899. c. 280 p. 12°, \$2.
- Grahame, Kenneth.** The golden age; illustrated by M. Parish. [New il. ed.] N. Y., J. Lane, 1900. c. '99. 4+252 p. O. cl., \$2.50.
- Gray, T:** Letters, selected with biographical notice by H: Milnor Rideout. Bost., Small, Maynard & Co., 1899. c. 30+222 p. por. S. cl., \$1.  
The text of these selections is that of the letters of Edmund Gosse's four-volume edition of Gray's works.
- Hammesfahr, F.** The corn-trade and options-markets considered in relation to social

economic problems. N. Y., Gustav E. Stechert, 1899. c. 2-106 p. D. pap., 50 c.

"Gambling in options and its consequences may, in my opinion, be considered as a small evil compared to one much greater, the cause of which is the so-called 'legitimate' option-business, which, if not abolished, will infallibly bring about the ruin of agriculture and the corn-trade. . . . A long experience, acquired in the corn-trade, has led me little by little to this conclusion; and it is this experience which has imposed upon me the duty to convince the world that all option-business should at once be condemned and driven from the markets."—*Author's introduction.*

**Hector, Mrs. Annie French,** [*"Mrs. Alexander," pseud.*] Thro' fire to fortune. N. Y., R. F. Fenno, 1900. c. '99. 5-320 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

A young girl employed in a clear-starching and cleaning establishment returns from her Sunday "outing" to find the place burned down and all the inmates dead. To get free of a drunken step-mother she does not tell of her escape, but finds employment as lady's maid, with a retired actress. Through her she becomes a leading lady in a London theatre, and discovers her own family history by which she inherits an English peer's estates.

**\*Hicks, Mary Dana.** Art instruction in primary schools; a manual for teachers . . . il. by Edith C. Chadwick. Second year. Bost., Prang Educational Co., [1899.] c. 8+164 p. il. map, sq. 8", (The Prang elocutionary course.) cl., 75 c.

**Hoenshel, E. J.** Advanced grammar. Topeka, Kan., Crane & Co., 1899. c. 314 p. D. cl., 60 c.

A continuation of the author's "Elementary grammar"; contains work for the sixth, seventh, and eighth grades. Both books of the series, "Elementary" and "Advanced" follow the plan of the author's "Complete grammar." In every grade, from the third to the eighth inclusive, and in almost every lesson will be found exercises in etymology, analysis, and syntax.

**Hoenshel, E. J.** Language lessons and elementary grammar. Topeka, Kan., Crane & Co., 1899. c. 196 p. D. cl., 30 c.  
Contains work for the first five school grades.

**\*Hoffman, Eugene A:** Genealogy of the Hoffman family descendants of Martin Hoffman; with biographical notes. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., 1899. 500 p. il. por. 8". Ordinary ed., cl., \$7.50; Ed. de luxe, hf. mor., \$12.50.

**Hopkins, H:** Clayton. The Winktum book. Balt., Md., H. L. Washburn & Co., 1899. c. 50 p. il. obl. 8", \$1.

Tells in rhymes the history of the Winktum family; illustrated with full-page comic pictures in colors.

**\*Hott, J. W., (Bp.)** Marvelous conversion of a noted skeptic, Marshall O. Waggoner, of Toledo, O. Dayton, O., United Brethren Publishing House, 1899. 24 p. S., pap., 3 c.

**\*Howard, Walter Scott.** Old Father Gander; or, The better-half (?) of Mother Goose rhymes, chimes, and jingles; scratched from his own goose-quill for American goslings. . . . Bost., L. C. Page & Co., 1900 [1899.] c. 89 p. il. pl. obl. 12", cl., \$2.

**\*Hunt, Violet Brooke.** Prisoners of the Tower of London: an account of some who at divers times lay captive within its walls. N. Y., Dutton, 1900. 12+347 p. il. 12", cl., \$2.50.

**Ingraham, Rev. J. Phillips Thurston.** Mother's home talks with her little folks. 2d ed.

Milwaukee, Wis., Young Churchman Co., 1899. c. 100 p. il. O. cl., net, 50 c.  
Stories of the Old and New Testaments.

**\*Jenkins, Howard M.** The family of William Penn. Phil., published by the author, Howard M. Jenkins, 1899. c. 270 p. il. por. 12", cl., \$3.50.

**Johnson, Mrs. Blanche Wynne.** Johnson's fifth reader; rev. by E. C. Branson. Richmond, Va., B. F. Johnson Pub. Co., 1899. c. 5-387 p. il. D. cl., 60 c.

**Johnston, Mary.** To have and to hold; il., by Howard Pyle, E. B. Thompson, and others. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1900. c. '99, 1900. 6+403 p. il. D. cl., \$1.50.

A story of the early years of Colonial Virginia, opening in 1621 with the arrival from England of a consignment of maidens to be sold to the colonists for wives, such being offered for 120 pounds of tobacco. Rolfe, who had married and buried Pocahontas, appears on the scene, but not as the hero. This is Captain Ralph Percy, gentlemen, who tells the story and his own romantic experience with the "King's ward" and with the Indians.

**Kemble, E. W.** Coontown's 400. N. Y., Life Pub. Co., 1899. c. 64 p. il. Q. cl., \$2.

A collection of plates, each illustrating a joke upon darkey life or character.

**\*Kinder, Francis S.** Effects of recent changes in monetary standards upon the distribution of wealth. N. Y., Macmillan, 1900. 12", (Economic studies, v. 4, no. 6.) pap., net, 50 c.

**Kuegele, F:** Gospel sermons; or, country sermons. v. 3. Crimora, Va., Augusta Pub. Co., 1899. c. 376 p. O. cl., \$1.  
For Lutherans.

**Lesage, Alain René.** Selections from Gil Blas; ed., with introd. and notes, by W. U. Vreeland. N. Y., H. Holt & Co., 1900. c. 27+166 p. S. cl., 60 c.

This text is designed (in its selection) to be useful in the more elementary work, and also in literary study. The introduction includes a sketch of Lesage's work and life.

**\*Leslie, Penelope.** Guy's duty. N. Y., T. Whittaker, 1900. 108 p. 12", cl., 50 c.

**\*Lidgley, C: A.** Wagner. N. Y., Dutton, 1900. il. por. 12", (Master musicians ser.) cl., \$1.25.

**\*Macdougall, Dan.** Trembly. Nature and work of plants: introd. to the study of botany. N. Y., Macmillan, 1900. 17+218 p. 12", cl., net, 80 c.

**\*Mac Sparran, Ja., D.D.** A letter book and abstract of out services, written during the years 1743-1751 . . . ed., with sketch of the author and numerous notes by . . . Daniel Goodwin. . . Bost., D. B. Updike, (Merrymount Press.) 1899. c. 48+200 p. por. 8", bds., \$4.

**Metcalfe, Ja. Stetson.** Mythology for moderns: an up-to-date text-book for up-to-date students; il. by C: D. Gibson, "Chip," and others. N. Y., Life Publishing Co., 1899. c. 6-117 p. O. cl., \$1.

A number of mythological tales narrated in humorous form. The original myths have been closely adhered to, but a modern point of view gives a laughable turn to the doings of the classic deities; il. with humorous drawings in classic style.

**\*Moffett, Rob.** Seeking the old paths, and other sermons; with an introd. by E. V. Zollars, and a biographical sketch by J. R. Gaff. Cleveland, O., published by the



- author, Rob. Moffett, 1899. c. 12+303 p. por. 12°, cl., \$1.25.
- Mutch, W: Ja.** Christian teachings; arranged for use in the instruction of the young. New Haven, Ct., W: J. Mutch, [for sale by Edward P. Judd Co.,] 63 p. T. pap., 15 c.; cl., 25 c.
- \*Park, W: Hallock, and Guerard, A. R.** Bacteriology in medicine and surgery: a practical manual for physicians, health officers and students. Phil., Lea Bros. & Co., [1899.] c. 11+688 p. il. 12°, cl., net, \$3.
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*Values of Books and other printed matter, free, imported from other countries.*

Imported from:	Month ending December.		Twelve mos. ending December.	
	1898.	1899.	1898.	1899.
United Kingdom.....	\$69,845	\$48,304	\$718,417	\$894,613
France.....	9,843	18,801	157,609	242,595
Germany.....	42,319	51,561	539,747	563,388
Other Europe.....	18,875	20,126	147,311	159,839
British North America.....	3,480	1,903	34,731	29,055
Other Countries.....	633	904	13,097	12,131
Totals.....	144,995	141,599	1,610,912	1,901,621

*Values of Books and other printed matter, dutiable, imported from other countries.*

Imported from:	Month ending December.		Twelve mos. ending December.	
	1898.	1899.	1898.	1899.
United Kingdom.....	\$81,672	\$110,194	\$952,579	\$1,055,314
France.....	6,954	9,042	61,027	85,534
Germany.....	19,725	18,560	229,013	229,947
Other Europe.....	4,488	6,325	63,128	61,917
British North America.....	2,540	5,598	26,677	32,437
China.....	406	206	3,341	3,630
Japan.....	538	973	11,822	12,547
Other Countries.....	385	1,304	3,264	5,971
Totals.....	116,708	152,207	1,350,851	1,487,297



*Values of Books and other printed matter, of Domestic Manufacture, Exported from the United States by Countries.*

<i>Countries to which Exported:</i>				
United Kingdom .....	\$89,777	\$83,185	\$777,819	\$759,802
France .....	2,181	1,900	33,942	33,035
Germany .....	9,868	9,504	103,357	120,539
Other Europe .....	6,338	8,226	58,413	62,431
British North America .....	79,519	85,682	803,883	893,209
Central American States and British Honduras...	1,528	15,461	28,984	58,671
Mexico .....	5,747	8,500	73,807	92,162
Santo Domingo .....	729	233	5,092	7,593
Cuba .....	2,707	4,555	12,402	61,098
Porto Rico .....	1,617	469	6,337	17,300
Other West Indies and Bermuda .....	2,303	2,939	32,044	24,414
Argentina .....	686	4,082	22,660	28,725
Brazil .....	7,689	2,735	53,702	62,500
Colombia .....	11,101	11,513	20,255	74,560
Other South America .....	12,419	2,158	109,714	59,923
China .....	1,174	750	21,939	25,534
East Indies—British .....	214	3,781	16,468	25,850
Japan .....	1,871	2,200	26,197	41,952
British Australasia .....	12,353	13,278	126,874	151,400
Philippine Islands .....	222	2,337	705	12,300
Other Asia and Oceania .....	4,227	8,198	36,559	72,427
Africa .....	6,105	2,191	56,037	59,003
Other Countries .....	15	.....	15	60
Totals .....	260,460	273,877	2,427,205	2,744,488

*Values of Exports of Books and other printed matter, of Foreign Manufacture.*

<i>Free of Duty.</i>				
Books, etc. ....	\$2,140	\$3,314	\$35,291	\$25,566
<i>Dutiable.</i>				
Books, etc. ....	1,037	4,589	23,193	27,892

Merchandise remaining in warehouse, December 31, 1898, \$33,450; December 31, 1899, \$36,318.

#### BUSINESS NOTES.

BELLAIRE, O.—W. D. Jones has purchased the bookstore of J. D. Deafenbaugh.

CHICAGO, ILL.—Donohue & Henneberry have settled their differences, and the bill asking for the appointment of a receiver and the dissolution of the partnership has been dismissed. The firm is one of the oldest in the printing business in Chicago, and has been in existence for nearly thirty years, much of the time at its present location, 409 to 429 Dearborn Street. The value of the property is said to exceed \$500,000.

DOLGEVILLE, N. Y.—F. R. Stone has sold his book and stationery business to John W. Gordon.

NEW HAVEN, CONN.—Cornelius S. Moorehouse has retired from the firm of Tuttle, Moorehouse & Taylor Co., booksellers.

NEW YORK CITY.—Alexander E. Orr, William A. Nash, Stephen Baker, William W. Laffan, and Augustine J. Smith, the Reorganization Committee of Harper & Brothers, representing \$11,650,000 of the company's indebtedness, have filed an answer in the clerk's office of the United States District Court to the petition in bankruptcy, filed January 22, against the company. They deny that Harper & Brothers have committed the acts of bankruptcy or any of them set forth in the petition, and aver that Harper & Brothers should not be declared bankrupt for any cause the petition alleged, and they pray that this may be inquired of by the court.

NEW YORK CITY.—George M. Hill Co., of Chicago, have opened offices at 156 Fifth Avenue, Room 1028. Sumner C. Britton, the secretary of the company, has been appointed eastern manager, and will be in New York from time to time as may be found necessary. He will be assisted by Rudolphe R. Reilly, who is their resident salesman in New York.

ST. LOUIS, MO.—The St. Louis Book and Novelty Co. has recently been incorporated to do a wholesale book, stationery, and general supply business. The new business is a consolidation of the St. Louis Novelty Co. and the Beidleman Stationery Co. Henry Beidleman, formerly of Scranton, Pa., is the vice-president of the new firm, which is located at 1302 Olive Street.

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*"I hold every man a debtor to his profession, from the which, as men do of course seek to receive countenance and profit, so ought they of duty to endeavor themselves by way of amends to be a help and an ornament thereunto."*—LORD BACON.

## THE COMMERCIAL TRAVELLER.\*

*Friend:* "I understand that, in your line, a man must be very plausible and persuasive?"

*Drummer:* "Yes; especially when he's explaining to the firm why he hasn't sold any goods."—Puck.

DEAN TRENCH has said that nothing is harder than a definition; and to define absolutely who is and who is not a commercial traveller might involve the one who attempted it in a lengthy if not wordy argument. The difficulty, it seems to us, would be to determine who can *not*, rather than who *can*, lay claim to be placed under this title. Charles Dickens himself, who not unfrequently used the commercial room in his wanderings in search of information and study of character, seems to have been puzzled by this very question. So much so that he entitled one of his books the "Un-Commercial Traveller," in which, after introducing himself, at first negatively, he says:

"No landlord is my friend and brother; no chambermaid loves me; no waiter worships me; no 'boots' admires and envies me. No round of beef or tongue or ham is expressly cooked for me; no hotel advertisement is personally addressed to me; no hotel room tapestried with great coats and railway wrappers is set apart for me; no house of public entertainment in the United Kingdom greatly cares for my opinion of its brandy or sherry. When I go upon my journeys I am not usually rated at a low figure in the bill; when I come home

from my journeys I never get any commissions. I know nothing about prices, and should have no idea, if I were put to it, how to wheedle a man into ordering something he doesn't want. As a town traveller, I am never to be seen driving a vehicle externally like a young and volatile pianoforte van, and internally like an oven in which a number of flat boxes are baking in layers. As a country traveller, I am rarely to be found in a gig, and am never to be encountered by a pleasure train, waiting on the platform of a branch station, quite a Druid in the midst of a Stonehenge of samples.

"And yet—proceeding now to introduce myself positively—I am both a town traveller and a country traveller, and am always on the road. Figuratively speaking, I travel for the great house of Human Interest Brothers, and have rather a large connection in the fancy goods way. Literally speaking, I am always wandering here and there from my rooms in Covent Garden, London—now about the city streets, now about the country by-roads—seeing many little things, and some great things, which because they interest me, I think may interest others. These are my brief credentials as the uncommercial traveller."

Dickens says, "I am both a country and a town traveller, and am always on the road," so that, if we were to go afield in this direction we should have to speak of the hundreds of thousands instead of the hundreds of men and women engaged in business which takes them away from their home establishments to solicit orders. Interesting as the study of the larger field may be, we must draw the line strictly at the unofficial traveller—the militia of the road, as it were—and restrict our remarks to the regular traveller who has his credentials from mercantile houses of undoubted standing and repute; a man who is in receipt of at least five dollars per diem for expenses, and stays at first-class hotels; who is a welcome guest at the homes of the patrons the firm which he represents; and who is looked upon with pride by his peers and with envy by the small fry.

This much, it seems to us, necessary to say in an attempt to define and bring us "within measureable distance" of the meaning of the term "commercial traveller." In another issue we shall attempt to look a little closer into the duties and responsibilities of the class of men whom Balzac has immortalized in the "Illustrious Gaudissart."

## PROTEST AGAINST THE LOUD BILL.

A MEETING of the leading publishers of paper-bound books and periodicals—among them Harper & Brothers, Street & Smith, Robert Bonner's Sons, R. F. Fenno & Co., Norman L. Munro & Co., F. M. Lupton Publishing Co., Ainslie's Magazine, and Pearson's Magazine—met last week at the offices of the American News Company to take action on how most effectually to oppose the new Loud bill, intro-

\* Continuation of the series of "The Profession of Bookselling." A list of authorities quoted will be given on conclusion.



duced in the House on January 12 and now in committee. The new bill contains practically all the features of the previous "Loud" bills regulating the distribution of second-class mail matter, with the additional clause that the one-cent per pound postage rate on second-class matter is to be limited to a distance of 1000 miles from the mailing point. This means that a New York publisher of second-class matter can send his periodical to—say Chicago—by using only a one-cent stamp, but he must put a two-cent stamp on it if it is addressed to St. Louis, because that city is at a greater distance than 1000 miles from New York.

A committee consisting of John Elderkin, of Robert Bonner's Sons, Ormond G. Smith, of Street & Smith, and Orville J. Victor, a former publisher, was appointed to go to Washington to oppose the measure in person.

The House Committee on Postoffices and Postroads gave a hearing on the 13th inst. to publishers opposed to the bill. Among those represented were Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Robert Bonner's Sons, the American News Company, *Puck*, *Judge*, *The North American Review*, the F. M. Lupton Publishing Co., Street & Smith, *The Philadelphia Farm Journal* and *McClure's Magazine*. Arguments were made by S. S. McClure, H. N. Wheeler, Patrick Farrelly and Mr. Atkinson of *The Farm Journal*. Mr. Elderkin thinks that the hearing developed an extraordinary interest, and he says that Mr. Loud, the chairman of the committee, expressed himself as conscious that the situation had changed somewhat since the first introduction of his measure. There seems little chance of the bill becoming a law at this session.

#### THE FIRST SALE AT ANDERSON'S BOOK AUCTION ROOMS.

THE new book auction rooms in New York City, at 34 West Thirtieth Street, under the administration of its proprietor, John Anderson, Jr., was opened auspiciously on the afternoon of the 6th inst. There were present a number of collectors, as well as members of the trade, who took considerable interest in the arrangement of the books, the double row of tables about which the bidders sat, and other features which in many respects reminded one vividly of the well-known room of Sotheby's. When the auctioneer was about to offer the first book—"A Brief Narrative of the Shipwreck of the Transport *Premier*, near the mouth of River St. Lawrence," London, 1845—Charles A. Montgomery arose and made a brief address, calling attention to the fact that the starting of a new book auction house in a city where book sales have been practically held for the greater part of a century by two houses only, was an event that deserved more than passing notice. He complimented Mr. Anderson upon his daring, as well as upon the excellent arrangements that he had made for looking after the comfort of the buyer and for facilitating sale. Mr. Anderson responded happily, thanking the audience for their interest in his project, and promising to do all that lay in his power to justify the confidence reposed in his methods of doing business. The book was put up for sale, and, though its real value was probably not more than 50 cents, the sentimental interest

connected with the first volume to come under the hammer on such an occasion quickly raised it twenty points, when it was captured by Evert Jansen Wendell for ten dollars. Other books sold on the same occasion were Judah's "Gotham and Gothamites," New York, 1823, for which William Terry paid five dollars. It was a fine copy in original state. Thompson's "History of Long Island," New York, 1843, two volumes, was secured by Frederick W. Morris for sixteen dollars. This is the second and best edition, and was cheap at the price. Mr. Morris was also the purchaser of Prime's "Pottery and Porcelain of All Times and All Nations," New York, 1878, which fetched nineteen dollars.

The rooms are very attractive, the prevailing colors being robins-egg-blue and cream-white. There is a distinct literary atmosphere, and the visitors can hardly help feeling at home. A striking innovation has been introduced by the placing of a double row of tables before the rostrum, at which the bidders are seated, and on which they may rest their catalogues when writing. An attendant brings the item being sold to any one expressing a desire to examine it. The books are arranged on shelves, and patrons have full liberty to walk about and inspect the books, even during the progress of the sale.

#### "ABOARD THE AMERICAN DUCHESS" A PLAGIARISM.

G. P. PUTNAM'S SONS made the startling discovery, shortly after they had published "Aboard the American Duchess," the novel of which a certain George L. Myers claimed to be author, that it was in reality identical with "The Queen of Night," a novel written by Headon Hill, and published some years ago in London, save that the scene of action had been changed to New York. The publishers, upon making the discovery, at once sent an *honorarium* with an explanation to Mr. Hill, who is well known in England as the author of "Guilty Gold," "Zambra, the Detective," and "The Rajah's Second Wife." "The Queen of Night" is not copyrighted in this country, so Mr. Hill will probably feel gratified when he receives the unexpected message. The publishers have also issued the following notice that the American version of the novel may not be purchased under a misapprehension: "G. P. Putnam's Sons regret to have occasion to announce to the reading public that the story recently published by them under the title of 'Aboard the American Duchess,' a story purporting to be the work of an American author who writes under the name of George L. Myers, is a plagiarism of a story published some years back by Headon Hill, of London, entitled, 'The Queen of Night.' Mr. Hill's material has been appropriated by the American writer, such appropriation constituting a wrong against the English author and his publishers, and also, of course, the American publishers, who accepted as an original work the story 'The American Duchess.' The publishers are making this announcement in order to caution American readers against the purchase under a wrong impression, of the story issued under the title of 'Aboard the American Duchess.'"

## AMERICAN BIBLIOGRAPHERS.

JOSEPH SABIN.\*

JOSEPH SABIN, who for upwards of a quarter of a century was one of the best-known figures in the book world of the United States, was born in Braunston, Northamptonshire, England, December 5, 1821. He received a common school education in Oxford, and, in 1835, when fourteen years of age, was apprenticed to learn the bookbinding business in the store of Charles Richards, a prominent bookseller and stationer of Oxford. The indenture was for seven years, and young Sabin began to apply himself to the study of his business with assiduity. He was allowed to continue at the bookbinding trade only for a short time, because he took a lively interest in books, even at this early age, and his employer soon found that he could make him more useful in his salesroom than in the bindery; the result was that after a few months he was transferred to the store and made a salesman. After serving for three years as an assistant salesman, Sabin was made general manager of Mr. Richards's business, and entrusted with the duty of buying as well as selling books. Sabin remained with Mr. Richards until 1842, when the seven years provided for in his indenture had expired. In the meantime he had prepared several catalogues of libraries for sale, and he fancied he could do a good business in the auction trade. He had become acquainted with the family of a Mr. Winterborn, an architect and builder in Oxford, and he formed a partnership with one of his sons and began business as a bookseller and auctioneer. The business prospered fairly. In 1844 Sabin was married to Miss Winterborn, the sister of his partner, and in the same year he published a pamphlet on "The XXXIX Articles of the Church of England, with Scriptural Proofs and References." Sabin remained in business in Oxford for four years after the issue of his polemical brochure, the publication of which, together with his republican tendencies and the rather unconventional expression of his views, did not aid materially in making him popular among his Tory neighbors.

In the early part of 1848 he determined to come to America, with the intention of settling upon land in Texas, for which he had contracted in England through some colonization scheme. Selling his business, he embarked with his wife and two sons, Joseph and Frank, on the ship *West Point*, and arrived in New York on the evening of July 3. After consulting with some of his acquaintances in New York, he decided to abandon the project of settling in Texas. He passed a few days in New York, but finding nothing to suit him in the way of employment, he took his family to Philadelphia, and secured a position as a general assistant and salesman in the house of George S. Appleton, then on the south side of Chestnut Street, below Seventh. His knowledge of books directed Mr. Appleton's attention to Sabin's value, and he employed him in all the details of the business. At that time half binding in calf and morocco was not generally known in this country, and Sabin induced Mr. Appleton to introduce it. Sabin remained in Philadelphia but two years. In May, 1850, he

came to New York and secured an engagement with Cooley & Keese, the book auctioneers, who were doing business at Dey Street and Broadway. He was engaged as a general assistant, his duties being principally to catalogue books to be sold, and also occasionally to assist in the sales. Cooley & Keese abandoned the business in 1851, selling out to Lyman & Rawdon, but Sabin was retained by the new firm. The first important sale catalogue prepared by Sabin was that of the library of Rev. Samuel Farmer Jarvis, sold at auction by Lyman & Rawdon, October 14 (postponed to November 4, 1851), and following days. The catalogue contains 3329 lots, classified under subjects, and is quite fully annotated. An author index fills pp. 195-219. John Keese was the auctioneer.

On January 1, 1852, Sabin was engaged by Bangs Brothers, then at No. 13 Park Row (the predecessors of Bangs, Merwin & Co., and the present firm of Bangs & Co.). With this firm he remained for five years, doing cataloguing and miscellaneous work.

In 1856 Sabin started in business for himself at the corner of Broadway and Canal Street, upstairs, making a specialty of second hand and miscellaneous fine books. But the rage for collecting had hardly begun, and after a year of only moderate success he sold out and returned to Philadelphia, where his family were still living at Chestnut Hill. In 1857 he established a store in Hart's Building, at No. 27 South Sixth Street, above Chestnut Street, and until the breaking out of the war he did a good business. With the opening of hostilities his business fell off, and in 1861 he abruptly left Philadelphia and came to New York. Under the firm-name of J. Sabin & Co., he opened an auction room on the south side of East Fourth Street, near Broadway. One of his first sales—indeed, his only sale of any special importance—was the library of the eminent comedian, W. E. Burton, which was sold by order of Mr. Burton's legal adviser and chief executor, Henry Cram. The disastrous result of the sale, and the precipitate withdrawal of his partner, F. N. Jennings, involved Sabin in financial difficulties and embarrassed him with vexatious litigation. It is to this episode in his career to which he refers in the first prospectus of his Dictionary as "an enforced retirement from business!"

For a few months he was in the employ of Sheldon & Co. The "Co." was Melancthon C. Hurd, who afterward established the firm of Hurd & Houghton, in New York City. In 1864 he ventured again into business, under his own name, purchasing the stock and goodwill of Michael Nunan, a genial and popular Irishman who had built up a fairly good business in second-hand and new books at No. 84 Nassau Street. In 1869 the firm-name became J. Sabin & Sons, and in 1879 it was changed to J. Sabin's Son. From No. 84, Sabin removed to No. 64 Nassau Street, where he remained until his death on June 5, 1881.

About the year 1852 Sabin began to collect material for a "Bibliographical Dictionary of all Books relating to America," using as authorities the bibliographies and catalogues of White Kennet, Obadiah Rich, Henri Ternaux, Boucher de la Richardiere, A. G. Camus, C. M. Asher, George B. Faribault, Leon-Pinelo, Hermann E. Ludewig, J. G. Meusel, Frederik

\* From "Book-Trade Bibliography in the United States in the nineteenth Century," by A. Growoll. Copyright, 1898.



Müller, J. R. Smith, Isaiah Thomas, D. B. Warden, and others, besides the various literary catalogues, the *Allgemeine Deutsche Bibliothek*, the *London Magazine*, the *Monthly Review*, etc. With good opportunities for examining books, he had accumulated over 15,000 titles when he issued his first prospectus, in May, 1859. The material thus brought together served only as the basis of the proposed Dictionary, the plan of which was to give the titles of all important works in full and in a uniform manner, with the number of pages, maps and plates, and to designate one or more public libraries where the book described could be found. In order to carry out this plan, it became necessary to examine every book anew, and to enlist the co-operation of librarians. In 1866, after four years' labor in arranging the material, a new prospectus was issued, with specimen pages, and in January, 1867, the first part of the Dictionary appeared. It is not the writer's intention to decry the value of Sabin's work—that has already been done *ad nauseam* by writers whose motives have not always been above suspicion. Inasmuch as a mass of material on a given subject is brought together in the "*Bibliotheca Americana*"—by which name the "Dictionary" is popularly known—it cannot fail, in however slight degree, to assist the collector and bookseller in their researches. For nearly a quarter of a century Sabin devoted all of his spare time to the work. It exhausted all his available funds and kept him poor until his death. When he died, 80 parts, comprising over 58,000 titles, had been issued, bringing the work down in alphabetical order to the letter "P." The clippings left unpublished were entrusted to Wilberforce Eames, of the Lenox Library, who, down to the present time, has edited 36 additional parts, completing the work as far as the entry: "Smith (Henry [Hollingsworth])."

The publications of Sabin, aside from the "Dictionary," were a monthly magazine called the *Bibliopolist*, a *Literary Register and Repository of Notes and Queries*, etc., begun in December, 1868, and continued until April, 1877; "A Bibliography of Bibliography, or, a handy book about books which relate to books," a reprint, with large additions, of John Power's "Handy Book about Books for Book-Lovers"; and a series of reprints of early American Tracts, ten of which were issued in quarto size and seven in octavo. A reprint, in two volumes, of Alexander Garden's "Anecdotes of the Revolution," published in three sizes—ordinary paper, large paper, and what Mr. Sabin dubbed "blanket folio"—capped the climax of these typographical absurdities, and brought them into merited disfavor.

The book-auction sales at which Sabin officiated included some of the most important that have occurred in this country. The last at which he presided was the Brinley sale. This was divided into five parts, and the sale of the third part was set for March, 1881, but was postponed on account of Sabin's ill health. His family had already been informed by his physician of the fatal character of his illness. On April 4 Sabin began the sale, and conducted it to a satisfactory conclusion. On this occasion he had the distinction of selling the only copy of the Gutenberg Bible that has ever been brought under the hammer on this side of the Atlantic. The book was bought by

the late Hamilton Cole for \$8,000, and the sale created a sensation in the bookbuying world, which was revived when the two volumes again appeared at auction in the dispersion of the collection of Brayton Ives, and were taken to Chicago at a ransom of \$14,800.

Against the advice of his physician, Sabin undertook the auction of the third part of the Brinley Library, and his labors in connection with it probably hastened his death, which occurred at his Brooklyn home on Sunday, June 5, 1881. He was buried in Cypress Hills Cemetery, Brooklyn, N. Y.

#### AN ENGLISH PUBLISHER'S MEMORIES.

EDWARD MARSTON, the senior member of the firm of Sampson Low, Marston & Co., contributed to the *London Daily Chronicle* for January 27, an interesting chapter of "A Publisher's Memories." Mr. Marston's memories go far back, and he begins with an account of what was done in 1847 in regard to the discount question. The efforts made half a century ago to deal with the matter failed; but it is to be hoped the attempts now being made in the interest of booksellers will be made successful. Mr. Marston was asked to say something of the changes which have come over the trade during his career—"a question easy to be asked," as he says, "and vague enough to be difficult to answer." In literature, he notes, the greatest development has been in fiction. Regarding one of the first novels of which he had experience as a publisher, Mr. Marston relates the following curious anecdote: "It was said to have been written by Sir Walter Scott, given by him to his daughter, Miss Anne Scott, and by her to Wm. Spencer. Through him it came into the hands of M. Cabany, the father of M. E. Saint Maurice Cabany, who placed the work, under the title of 'Moredun,' in our hands, with such a superabundance of evidence as to its genuineness (apart from its want of merit), that unhappily we undertook its publication in the usual three-volume form. M. Cabany lived and died in the fullest conviction of the absolute genuineness of the work, and its failure he attributed solely to the fact that we advertised it, not as by Sir Walter Scott, but as being ascribed to him."

During his long career Mr. Marston has been brought into intimate business relations with many of the most distinguished authors of a past generation, including Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe, "a delicate little woman with an oval face and dark thoughtful eyes;" Lord Lytton, Charles Reade—whose famous novel, "Hard Cash," Mr. Marston's firm brought out—James Payn, Wilkie Collins, Victor Hugo, Dickens, Thackeray, Anthony Trollope, and Mrs. Gaskell. Of later writers for whom Mr. Marston has published may be named Mr. Blackmore, now, alas! gone over to the majority, William Black, W. Clark Russell, and Thomas Hardy. The house published "The Woman in White," and for its successor, "No Name," paid Wilkie Collins £3000—at that time, as Mr. Marston remarks, probably the largest sum ever paid for the limited issue of a three-volume novel. Charles Reade was a most interesting man, who seems to have understood his own commercial value. The same is true of Wilkie Collins.

Mr. Marston remarks that the abolition of the three-volume novel has been one of the greatest changes in the publishing world during the last half century; but he questions whether the change has been wholly beneficial. When the three-decker was abandoned, it was thought that the libraries would subscribe for larger quantities of the cheap form, but in this hope publishers have been rather disappointed. "The truth is, that of an average novel the libraries buy as few as they can, frequently not as many as they used to buy in the three-volume form." Another change is the enormous output of "snippets." But with all this Mr. Marston believes there are better times in store for the booksellers than they have ever had if they will but combine against underselling.

The books which last are not usually those that are hailed with the beating of big drums. Masterpieces appear quietly, as a rule, and make their way slowly into public favor. Certainly it was so with "Lorna Doone," one of the most popular novels written by any author of the present generation. Mr. Blackmore himself has told how the tale hung fire, and how his publishers pushed it, seemingly to no purpose. Then about a year after the publication of the book the Marquis of Lorne was married; the public somehow connected the novel and the marriage, and the book began that career of prosperity which still continues unabated. Several of the obituary notices of Mr. Blackmore state that the story was immediately successful; but this is an error, and one which the beginner may lay to heart for encouragement.

#### CAUSES OF THE RISE IN THE PRICE OF PAPER.

HUGH J. CHISHOLM, the President of the International Paper Company, one of the largest manufacturers of paper in the world, last week gave to a representative of the *New York Times* the following explanation of the recent rise in the price of paper:

"There has been no change in the tariff which could have contributed to the recent advance. The price of paper has advanced the same as almost every other commodity in the last year, in response to the economic law of supply and demand, which has operated in the case of articles admitted into this country free, as well as in the case of protected articles.

"The price of paper has advanced in other countries quite as much as it has in the United States. In England the interest in the South African war has created an unwonted demand for paper, which the English mills have been quite unable to meet, and since there is no surplus from any other country to relieve it, there has been almost a paper famine. There was a great drought in Norway and Sweden last summer, which seriously affected the production of pulp, and since both France and England are dependent almost wholly upon Scandinavia for their pulp supply, the production of paper was necessarily curtailed at the same time that the demand was increasing.

"It would not have been strange if the price of paper had advanced in the United States simply on the strength of conditions prevailing in the European market. But like conditions have prevailed in this country. The demand

has increased and the unprecedented drought which started early in the summer has practically continued to the present time, so that it is with great difficulty that the demands for all kinds of paper are being met.

"All the materials which enter into the construction and maintenance of the mills have increased in value, and the paper manufacturer has had to pay more for all the ingredients and for mill supplies, including sulphur and coal, and also for the transportation of his product. The general level of wages in paper mills is higher at this time than it has been for twenty-five years, and higher in the United States than in any other country."

#### THE SALE OF RUSKIN'S WORKS IN ENGLAND.

THE following list, prepared by the London *Daily News*, shows the extent of the popularity of Ruskin's books. The list refers to those books only which are published in a single volume. "Modern Painters" and "Stones of Venice" are still too expensive in England to be widely popular. The second book on the list, however, consists of selections from "Modern Painters." The figures give the number of copies sold since the several books were republished in their present cheaper form:

"Sesame and Lilies".....	40,000
"Fronde Agrestes".....	34,000
"The Crown of Wild Olive".....	31,000
"Unto this Last".....	30,000
"Seven Lamps".....	29,000
"King of the Golden River".....	22,000
"Queen of the Air".....	14,000
"Time and Tide".....	13,000
"A Joy for Ever".....	12,000
"Mornings in Florence".....	11,000
"The Eagle's Nest".....	11,000
Total.....	247,000

Mr. Ruskin's annual income from the sale of his books was, according to the London *Academy*, for many years, on the average, £4000. Yet he did not "work" his writings for what they were worth. New editions, which would have been highly profitable, were delayed and delayed until the first editions rose to fabulous prices. It is doubtful if he would have approved the suggestion that the memorial to him should take the form of an edition of his works at a price within the reach of all. Mr. Ruskin's private fortune, derived from his father, was enormous; and it is believed that he gave away not less than £200,000 in his life. He parted with material wealth as one whose spiritual wealth was inexhaustible.

#### AMERICAN AUTHORS' SOCIETY ELECTION.

THE SOCIETY OF AMERICAN AUTHORS elected these officers at its meeting on the 14th inst.: President, Rastus S. Ransom; Vice-Presidents, Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, Gen. Lew Wallace, Dr. Thomas Dunn English, Hubert Howe Bancroft, Mrs. Ellen Hardin Walworth, and Miss Grace Denio Litchfield; Treasurer, Morris P. Ferris; Secretary, James B. Laux; Members of the Board of Managers, the Rev. Dr. E. Walpole Warren, William Nelson, J. Beverly Robinson, and G. Grosvenor Dawe.



## JOURNALISTIC NOTES.

*The Goose Quill* is the title of a new magazine just published in Chicago. It is said to be "a cross between the *Chap Book* and the *Philistine*—fond of denunciation and not conventional."

*Personal Impressions*, a monthly journal of book notes and reviews, is announced by D. P. Elder & Morgan Shepard, of San Francisco. A feature of this periodical will be some pages devoted entirely to children, "done for them as they would have it—with simplicity and sympathy."

RAOUL RENAULT, Quebec, Canada, will publish in April the first number of the *North American Notes and Queries*, a monthly journal "of mutual and general information devoted to American and Canadian history, biography, bibliography, archæology, ethnography, numismatics, philately, and curiosia." The subscription price will be \$2 a year. Ten copies will be issued on *papier de luxe*, uncut, of which eight are offered at \$5 a year.

*The Sphere*, the first number of which was published in London, January 27, justified all hopes of its excellence that may have been raised by the vigorous and extraordinary advance advertising of its appearance. It is reported on good authority that upwards of 200,000 copies were printed of the first number, and yet the supply fell far short of the demand. *The Sphere* was projected and is edited by Clement K. Shorter. It is a large folio, handsomely printed and lavishly illustrated with original drawings and reproductions from photographs of timely subjects. Naturally the South African war occupies a large space. A rival publication, called *The Spear*, has been started by the proprietors of *The Sketch*, chiefly for the purpose of depriving Mr. Shorter's sails of the wind counted upon by him to carry his enterprise well along.

## COMMUNICATIONS.

THE KNIGHTS OF THE CROSS.—AN EXPLANATION BY R. F. FENNO & CO.

SIENKIEWICZ and Dumas have frequently been compared. They have both written historical romances complete in themselves and yet in which the same characters made their appearance in several successive volumes bearing different titles. When we decided to issue "Knights of the Cross" we believed that either the conclusion had been reached, and such announcement purposely omitted, or else that we might expect it to continue for an indefinite period.

When the death of a heroine is recorded either the end is reached or the hero must undergo a further series of adventures. In other words, to make an artistic success of a romance, sufficient time must elapse ere the hero be permitted to make a second serious conquest of the heart or succumb to the inevitable if the lady say him nay.

It was only while the book was on the press that we learned that more was to follow, but inasmuch as a complete romance was given the reader, we felt that we were justified in issuing the book as it was and our opinion is confirmed by the perfect satisfaction our edition has given to the purchasers of Dr. Samuel A.

Binion's translation. Our edition must of necessity have been translated from the Polish as the completeness of our edition clearly demonstrates that not sufficient time had elapsed for us to make the translation from the Russian edition.

In making comparisons of translations we feel we are justified in asking critics to specifically show wherein one or the other is superior.

It is unsatisfactory and somewhat dangerous to the critic's reputation to deal in "glittering generalities."

We shall publish immediately, at the moderate price of one dollar, a volume comprising eight hundred and fifty-three pages, consisting of two hundred and forty thousand words.

We shall be pleased to enter into direct communication with all individual purchasers of our two-volume edition, and desire to assure them that we will go to Warsaw, if need be, to secure the balance of this powerful historical romance.

Messrs. Gebethner & Wolff of Warsaw, the publishers of all the books of Sienkiewicz, did sell in December, 1898, in separate form, the early parts of "Knights of the Cross," and in December of 1899 all of the parts then ready. This accords with our previous announcement and with their own advertisement in an illustrated Polish weekly.

We cheerfully challenge comparison with Dr. Binion's scholarly translation.

R. F. FENNO & COMPANY.

NEW YORK, February 1, 1900.

## OBITUARY NOTES.

THERE has lately died, at Glasgow, Scotland, W. C. Angus, one of the best known of Burns experts, who is said to have owned the finest collection of editions of Burns extant, many of them unique. He had just completed a bibliography of Burns, which it is said will now be published.

THE REV. DR. WILLIAM HENRY GREEN, the head of Princeton Theological Seminary, died at Princeton, N. J., on the 10th inst. Dr. Green was born in Groveville, N. J., January 27, 1825. With the exception of a few years devoted to preaching he has been connected with the faculty of Princeton Theological Seminary. In 1861 Dr. Green published his first book—a Hebrew grammar. Its fourth edition was published in 1885. In 1863 his first theological work, "The Pentateuch Vindicated from the Aspersions of Bishop Co'enso," was published. Two years later he published "A Hebrew Chrestomathy." In 1868 the presidency of Princeton was offered to him, and he refused to accept it. Among his other works are a translation of Otto Zöckler's "Song of Solomon," "The Argument of the Book of Job Unfolded," "Moses and the Prophets," "The Hebrew Feasts in Relation to Recent Critical Hypotheses Concerning the Pentateuch," "The Unity of the Book of Genesis," "The Higher Criticism of the Pentateuch," and "A General Introduction to the Old Testament."

RICHARD WIGGINTON THOMPSON, ex-Secretary of the Navy, died at Indianapolis, Ind., on the 9th inst. He was born in Culpeper County, Va., June 9, 1809. In 1831 he removed to Louisville, Ky., whence after serving a few

months as a shopkeeper's clerk, he went to Bedford, Ind., where, in 1834, he was admitted to the bar. He was elected to the Indiana legislature, in which he served four years. In 1841 he was sent to Congress, where he served one term. He served another term in 1847-49. During President Hayes's term Colonel Thompson served as Secretary of the Navy, resigning in 1881 to become chairman of the American Committee of the Panama Canal Company. In the later years of his life Colonel Thompson came into prominence as the author of several books that attracted wide attention. In 1876 he published his well-known work, "The Papacy and the Civil Power." For the preparation of this book Colonel Thompson found that a knowledge of Latin, German, and French was needed. He accordingly learned to read those languages, although he was at the time more than sixty years old. A further statement of his views on Romanism he set forth in "The Footprints of the Jesuits," which appeared in 1894. He also wrote a "History of the Tariff," 1888, and his notable autobiographical work, "Personal Recollections of Sixteen Presidents," published in 1895.

#### LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

MRS. GRANT ALLEN, the widow of the novelist, is about to open a book-shop in the West End of London.

JAMES T. WHITE & CO., New York, have just issued a book entitled "The Storming of Stony Point on the Hudson," by Professor Henry P. Johnston, who bases his account on hitherto unknown information.

D. P. ELDER & MORGAN SHEPARD, San Francisco, Cal., announce for early publication a record of reminiscence and travel, entitled "Opportunity and I," by Nellie Blessing-Eyster, author of "A Colonial Boy."

HARPER & BROTHERS have in preparation two volumes by Mark Twain, one of which is to be a collection of essays and the other a book of short stories. They announce a new novel by H. B. Marriott Watson, to be entitled "The Rebel."

THE CARSWELL CO., LTD., Toronto, Canada, have just published the third volume of the "Decisions of the Supreme Court of Newfoundland," annotated and edited by E. P. Morris. The volume covers the decisions for the ten years prior to 1874.

HENRY HOLT & CO. have made arrangements to publish David D. Wells's new international serio-comic romance, "His Lordship's Leopard," which in some respects may be considered as a companion volume to the author's first book, "Her Ladyship's Elephant."

WALTER CRANE is at work on an extensive series of illustrations for a magnificent edition of the Bible, which is to be published in Amsterdam, the four-fold text being in Dutch, French, German and English, and illustrated by artists of Holland, France, Germany, England and Italy.

S. W. GREEN, 326 Pearl Street, New York, has reprinted in pamphlet form his trenchant article on "Railroad Transportation of the Mails." Mr. Green maintains that the deficit in handling the mail matter in the United States arises from overpayment for transportation

rather than from the abuses of second-class matter.

A. C. MCCLURG & Co. announce for early publication a new story by Miss Katharine Tynan, entitled "She Walks in Beauty." Like her other stories, this one is said to present a delightful picture of life among the refined classes of Ireland. It is, too, a tale of love imbued with a tenderness and grace that seems to flow spontaneously from her pen.

THE MACMILLAN COMPANY have in preparation a work on political and social economy which is prepared particularly for the farmer, by George T. Fairchild, of Berea College, entitled "Rural Wealth and Welfare;" also "A History of Rome for High Schools and Academies," by George Willis Botsford. The latter volume will probably not be published until the fall.

D. APPLETON & CO. are about to publish a new novel by Guy Boothby, entitled "A Maker of Nations," in which the author of "Dr. Nikola's Experiment," traces the adventures of the modern soldier of fortune. They have in preparation a novel of Italian life in New York, by H. W. Thomas, entitled "The Last Lady of Mulberry," which will be illustrated from actual scenes.

CHARLES WELSH, author of "A Bookseller of the Last Century," etc., has issued in pamphlet form a reprint from the *Educational Review* of his very interesting study of "English History in American School Text-Books." He has also just published through D. C. Heath & Co., of Boston, a useful little book entitled "Publishing a Book," containing practical hints to authors as to the preparation of manuscript, the correction of proof, and arrangement with the publisher.

THE BROTHERS OF THE BOOK, Gouverneur, N. Y., with the permission of Longmans, Green & Co., have published for private circulation Cardinal Newman's touching "Valentine to a Little Girl," reprinted from his "Verses on Various Occasions." The pretty booklet was printed for Laurence C. Woodworth, the scrivener of the Brothers of the Book, at his private press, and reflects creditably upon his typographical taste. The cover design was made by Robert W. Hyde.

THOMAS WHITTAKER will publish immediately, for Lenten reading, a collection of sermons by a number of noted preachers of the Episcopal church, English and American, under the title of "Helps to a Better Christian Life," edited by Rev. George W. Shinn, D.D. Mr. Whittaker has in press a new and enlarged edition of Bishop Huntington's addresses on "Personal Religious Life in the Ministry," to which he has added three new chapters, two of which are especially addressed to women workers.

HOUGHTON, MIFFLIN & Co. have in preparation a new story by Mrs. M. E. M. Davis, author of "Under the Man Fig," which will be entitled "The Queen's Garden," the scene of which is a fever-stricken house in New Orleans, where a young girl is confined by quarantine; also, a new and considerably enlarged edition of Landor's "Constitutional History of the United States," which will be printed from new plates. They will publish a



new and dainty edition of Michelangelo's sonnets, edited by William W. Newell, secretary of the American Folk-Lore Society.

HARDY, PRATT & CO., Boston, will shortly add to their edition of Balzac's works "Balzac's Letters to Mme. Hanska," *nee* Countess Evelin (Eve) Rzewuska, ("Lettres à l'Etrangère," translated by Elizabeth Wormeley. These letters were written to give vent to the emotions of a heart and soul under violent pressure; they lay bare a soul that little dreamed of this exposure, for the man who wrote them never read them over. In response to an unjust attack on the character of Balzac, Miss Wormeley has prefaced these letters with remarks, and has given her name and what weight her long, close intercourse with the works of Balzac may possess in his just defence.

CHARLES SCRIBNER'S SONS will publish shortly "Boys and Men," a story of life at Yale, by Richard Holbrook, who gives graphic pictures of undergraduate life at the university. They will publish in the spring a new book by the Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady, the author of "For the Freedom of the Sea," etc., to be entitled "The Grip of Honor—a romance of the American Revolution;" also, "The Touchstone," a new story by Mrs. Edith Wharton, author of "The Greater Inclination." A little later they will bring out a new book by Eliot Gregory ("An Idler,") entitled "The Ways of Man," which will form a companion volume to his "Worldly Ways," which has been highly praised by reviewers here and in England.

G. P. PUTNAM SONS have in preparation a number of interesting additions to their various series and libraries. To the *American Men of Energy Series* has just been added "A Soldier of the Revolution, the life and work of Henry Knox, Major-General in the Continental Army, First Secretary of War under the Constitution," etc., by Noah Brooks. New volumes in the *Heroes of the Nations Series* will be "Charlemagne," by H. W. Carless Davis; and "Oliver Cromwell," by Charles Firth. In the *Story of the Nations Series* will appear a volume on "Modern Spain," by Martin A. S. Hume. A new volume, No. 43, will be added to *The Hudson Library*, entitled "The Things that Count," by Elizabeth Knight Tomkins. They will issue during the spring the 62d edition of "Burke's Peerage," revised and brought up to date; "Hereditry and Human Progress," by W. Duncan McKim, a plea for laws forbidding descendants of degenerates; "The Regeneration of the United States: a forecast of its industrial evolution," by William Morton Grinnell; "The United States Naval Academy," by Park Benjamin; and "Slavery and Four Years of War," by J. Warren Keifer.

BRENTANO'S will publish shortly a number of bright novels, among which are: "Attack on the Mill," one of the best short stories ever written by Emile Zola, to which are added gems from De Musset, Karr, Gautier, and other French writers, all of which have been translated by E. P. Robins; "A Wild Proxy, a tragic comedy of to-day," by Mrs. W. K. Clifford, the author of the charming "Love-Letters of a Worldly Woman;" "Old Raclot's Million," from the French by Emile Richbourg; "Two Sides of a Story," a collection of en-

tertaining stories by George Parsons Lathrop; "A Superfluous Woman," the authorship of which has been attributed to Sarah Grand and others; "Written in Red," a detective story, by C. H. Montague and C. W. Dyar; "The Joy of Captain Ribot," by A. Palcio Valdes, translated by authority by Minna Caroline Smith. They have nearly ready a volume entitled "The Writing Table of the Twentieth Century," by F. Schuyler Mathews, a concise work on American heraldry, correct forms for cards and invitations, artistic die cutting, engraving, and writing papers, which the artist-author has illustrated with four hundred original illustrations, many of which are dainty suggestions for the decoration of writing paper.

FUNK & WAGNALLS will publish early in the spring "British Canada," the third volume of the *British Empire Series*; "The Domestic Blunders of Women," a series of humorous sketches by "A Mere Man"; "Twentieth Century Knighthood," a series of talks to young men, and "David and His Friends," a collection of forceful revival sermons, both by Dr. Louis Albert Banks; "Cuba Libre," a story based on the incidents in the Spanish-American war and Cuba's struggles for liberty, by John R. Musick, a new volume of the *Columbian Historical Novels*; also, "The Jefferson Cyclopedia," a collection of Jefferson's important utterances on many vital topics, edited by John P. Foley. In the department of Theology and Religion they announce five new works; among these the most important is the American edition of "The Hexaglot Bible," which will present the scriptures of the Old Testament in the Hebrew, Greek, Latin, English, German, and French, and the New Testament in Greek, Syriac, Latin, English, German, and French, edited by the Rev. Edward Riches De Levante, who is assisted by eminent biblical scholars. The texts will be conveniently arranged in six parallel columns, three columns on each of two opposite pages. The Hebrew is that of Van der Hooght, carefully revised. The Greek in the Old Testament is Dr. Tischendorf's latest edition, with gaps supplied in brackets, from various sources, and in the New Testament, Dr. Tischendorf's eighth edition similarly supplemented. The Latin of the Old Testament is the Clementine edition of the Vulgate, and in the New Testament Dr. Tischendorf's edition of the Codex Amiatinus, with gaps supplied in brackets, from the Clementine edition. The Syriac (in the New Testament only) is based on the noted "Biblia Sacra Polyglotta." The English is the authorized version; the German, Martin Luther's translation; and the French is the translation by David Martin, with revisions. The other volumes announced in this department are the fourth volume of Dr. Joseph Parker's "Studies in Texts," which will complete the series; "A Mental Index to the Bible," in which the principle that natural memory depends upon the association of ideas has been applied to the Bible by the author, the Rev. S. C. Thompson; "The Work of the Holy Spirit," by the Rev. Dr. Abraham Kuyper, translated by the Rev. Henri de Vries, and authorized and approved by the author; also the new and cheaper edition of "The Expositor's Bible," edited by the Rev. W. Robertson Nicoll.

## AUCTION SALES.

[Under this heading advance notices will be inserted, without charge, of book auction sales to be held anywhere in the United States. Word should reach this office not later than Wednesday noon, to insure insertion in the same week's issue.]

FEBRUARY 19, 3 P.M. | Autograph letters, mss., and documents relating to the Civil War, American Revolution, literary and artistic letters, etc. (338 lots.)—*Bangs*.

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Conant, On Baptism.

American Press Co., Baltimore, Md.  
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American Book Prices Current v. 1.  
Phoenixiana. Pub. by Caxton Club, Chicago.

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Henry O. Baird & Co., 810 Walnut St., Phila., Pa.  
Duplais, Manufacture and Distillation of Alcoholic  
Liquors. Phila., 1871.

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tillation of Alcohol. Phila., 1885.

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Wm. Ballantyne & Sons, 428 7th St., Washington,  
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Fitzgibbon, Life of, Veteran of 1812.

Hatch, Surrender at Detroit, 1812.

Walker, Jackson and New Orleans, 1812-1815.

Williams, War Between U. S. and British Isles, 1812-  
1815.

N. J. Bartlett & Co., 28 Cornhill, Boston, Mass.

New Peterson's Magazine, Oct., 1893.

Carr's Life of Archbishop Benson. London, 1898.

Richardson's Works, 12 v., Setheran ed.

The Bell Book and Stationery Co., Richmond,  
Va.

De Vane, by H. W. Hillard.

Herne, The Hunter.

W. E. Benjamin, 22 W. 33d St., N. Y.

Benjamin (Asher), American Builders' Companion.

Charlestown, 1811.

Benjamin (Asher), Practical House Carpenter. Boston,  
1830.

Bonnell, Silver & Co., 24 W. 22d St., N. Y.

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The Book Shop, 63 Spring St., Rochester, N. Y.  
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Architectural Record, v. 1, no. 1.

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Amer. Jour. Psychology, any nos.

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1860-61.

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Amer. Soc. of Civil Engineers' Trans. and Proc., 1896-  
'99, vols. or nos., also Trans., v. 1 to 7, and 1882.

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Oppian's Haliutick's of the Nature of Fishes and Fish-  
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 the fish and the art of angling for him. Leeds, 1888.

Col. Robt. Venables, The Experienced Angler, with  
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 Were There 10 Years Ago, by Frank Forester. Phila.,  
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Roosevelt's Florida and Game Water Birds of Atlantic  
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Mineralogy Illustrated, by J. G. von Kne. Pub. by Urbino, 1889.

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Vasari's Life of Painters, il., limited ed.  
The Gift for 1840, '42, and '44.

J. T. Doonan, Successor to James F. Meegan,  
124 Peachtree St., Atlanta, Ga.  
Haydy's Virginia Genealogy.  
Semmes' Service Afloat.  
Gregg's History of the U. S.

G. Dunn & Co., 22 W. 6th St., St. Paul, Minn.  
James, Advanced Psychology, v. 2.  
School Review, Jan., 1897.  
Ladies' Home Journal, Jan., 1900.

E. P. Dutton & Co., 31 W. 23d St., N. Y.  
Paris Salon (English), 1895, '96, '97, and '98.  
Sunbeams, by E. D. Deland.  
Sign of the Four, Conan Doyle.  
Study in Scarlet, "  
Burroughs' Works, limited ed.  
St. Augustine's Retractions.  
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Eaton & Mains, 269 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich.  
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Perry's Greek and Roman Sculpture.  
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Diary of the Besieged Resident in Paris. Pub. by Harper.

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A Gentleman in Search of a Horse.

A. F. Farnell & Son, 48 Court St., Brooklyn, N. Y.  
Froude's England, v. 11 and 12. Scribner.

F. A. Fernald, Broadway near 117th St., N. Y.  
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Guiteau Trial. Pub. by the Government.

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The Helman-Taylor Company, 23-27 Euclid  
Ave., Cleveland, O.  
Smith and Kellar, Experiments in Chemistry.

D. M. Henderson, Madison and Howard Sts.,  
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Hall, Aspects of German Culture. Boston, 1881.

Michalet's Works in English.  
Strickland, Life of Elizabeth.

W. M. Hill, 31 Washington St., Chicago, Ill.  
Baedeker's Spain.  
National Council of Education, report of first meeting,  
1881.

National Educational Association: Addresses and Jour-  
nal of Proceedings, 1881, 1886, 1888, 1890, 1893 and 1899.  
Our First Century, 1878.

Kent's Commentaries.  
Norton, Historical Study of Church Building in Middle  
Ages.

Montaigne, 3 vols. } Tudor translations.  
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The Howland Dry Goods Co., Bridgeport, Conn.  
Greeley's American Weather. Dodd.  
Heart of Asia, Skrine and Ross. Lipp.  
Magazine of Art, Nov., Dec., 1895; Jan., Feb., March,  
April, '96.

My Mate Immortal, Campbell. Argyle Press.  
Merl of Medevon. Rand, McN.  
Summerless Sea. Lipp.  
Century, Nov., Dec., 1897.  
Journals of Maurice de Guerin.

Hunter & Welburn, Nashville, Tenn.  
Brooke, Stopford, Theology of the English Poets.

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3 copies Hutchins' Hymnal and Music, 1886 ed.

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College Fraternities, by W. R. David. Pub. by Downs,  
N. Y., 1890.  
Conversational Openings and Endings, by Mrs. Bell.  
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Garratt, Myths in Medicine. Pub. in '84 by Putnam.

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Pulsford, John, Loyalty to Christ. 1899.  
Life's Quiet Hours, by Rev. John Pulsford.  
Any other works, "  
McElroy, Red Acorn. Sumner.

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Andrews, Dict'y of Hawaiian Lang. 1865.



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Isaac Taylor's Spirit of Hebrew Poetry. Boston, 1861.

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Lemcke & Buechner, 812 Broadway, N. Y.  
Seton-Thompson, Birds of Manitoba.  
Sherwood, Dryden's Dramatic Theory.

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American Hist. Rev., v. 1, 2, 3, unbound.  
Salmon, Hist. of the Appointing Power.

George E. Littlefield, 87 Cornhill, Boston, Mass.  
New Eng. Hist. and Gen'l Register, v. 18.  
Historical Tracts, Peter Force, v. 4.

J. S. Lockwood, 530 Atlantic Ave., Boston, Mass.  
The Nation, nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 of v. 1; nos. 29, 32, 33, 37, 55 of v. 2.

W. H. Lowdermilk & Co., Washington, D. C.  
Jameson, Essays in Constitutional History of U. S.  
Huxley, Lay Sermons.  
Shields, Life and Times of S. S. Prentiss.  
Dickens, Peterson's 8<sup>th</sup> ed.: Oliver Twist, Pickwick, Sketches by Boz.  
Timberlake, Memoirs of Travel to the Cherokee Nation.  
Thorpe, Curfew Must Not Ring To-Night, Lee & Shepard ed.  
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Hodge, Outlines of Theology. Give date.  
Mead, The Almost Christian Discovered.

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U. S. Fish Com. Rep., 1879.  
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Stephens, War Between the States, v. 11.  
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Coues, Key to North American Birds.

New York Medical Book Co., 10 Clinton Pl., N. Y.  
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Book on Telephone.  
Bancroft, Hist. of U. S., v. 10.  
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Life of Lady Blessington.  
Lives of the Queens of Spain, any.  
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Sala, Hours of the Day and Night.  
Rees, Cyclopædia, v. 29.  
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Encyclopædia Britannica, v. 25, hf. leath., Stoddard preferred.

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Jones, Life and Letters of Michael Faraday.

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Eclectic, July, 1891; Dec., '92; May, Aug., '93; Jan., '95.

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 Lafayette, Life of, by Tuckerman, 2 v. D., M. & Co.  
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 Anything on the life of D. L. Moody, new or second-hand.  
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Pall Mall Gazette, April 19, 1888.  
Cypher or Cipher, a novel. Pub. about 1870.  
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Great Rebellion, J. S. Headley, v. 2.  
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Annales de l'Institut Pasteur.  
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